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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group: 3673  
Atty. Docket: 8266-1224  
Applicant: Romano, James J., et al.  
Invention: PATIENT SUPPORT  
Serial No.: 10/800,952  
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Certificate Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a)

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Dated: August 4, 2006

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Commissioner for Patents  
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PETITION AND FEE FOR  
EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby requests under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action mailed March 7, 2006 in the above identified application for:

- ☐ one month (\$120.00)  
☒ two months (\$450.00)  
☐ three months (\$1,020.00).

☐ Applicant is a small entity under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27, therefore the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, the resulting fee being \$\_\_\_\_\_.

☒ A check to cover the fee is enclosed.

A response to the Office Action is being filed simultaneously herewith.

Please charge any additional fees due, or credit any overpayment, to Bose McKinney & Evans LLP's Deposit Account No. 02-3223. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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